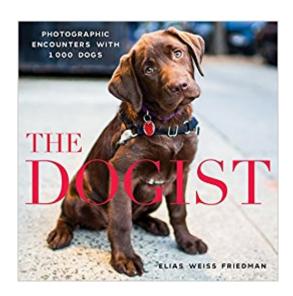


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# The Dogist: Photographic Encounters With 1,000 Dogs





## **Synopsis**

New York Times bestsellerThe Dogist is a beautiful, funny, and inspiring tribute to the beloved dogs in our lives. Every page presents dog portraits that command our attention. Whether because of the look in a dogâ ™s eyes, its innate beauty, or even the clothes its owner has dressed it in, the photos will make you ooh and aah, laugh, and fall in love. Photographed by Elias Weiss Friedman, aka The Dogist, every portrait in the book tells a story and explores the dogâ ™s distinct character and spirit. Themed sections include Puppies, Cones of Shame, Working Dogs, and Dogs in Fancy Outfits, giving every dog lover something to pore over.

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â œA beautiful tribute to our four-legged friends thatâ ™s sure to put a smile on your face.â • â "Modern Dog â œCaptures photos of dogs just as they are, full head-tilt, snout in the lens, tongue lapping at the airâ "just being dogs. . . . Talk about a comfort read.â • â "New York Magazineâ ™s The Cut â œDog lovers won't be able to resist canine photographer Elias Weiss Friedman's new book, The Dogist. . . . Flipping through the pages will make the day of anyone who adores animals.â • â "InStyle.com â œThis gorgeously shot â `Humans of New Yorkâ ™ for canines is the perfect gift.â • â "New York Post â œIf Humans of New York and the Sartorialist had a canine love child, it would be the Dogist.â • â "Publishers Weekly â œThis is quite simply my favorite book of the season and I love that Elias champions a wide range of dogs, from fancy uptown breeds in NYC to scruffy rescue pups as far away as China. The book is grouped

according to type (puppies, working dogs, dogs in raincoats, small breeds, etc.) and tells some incredible stories, like those of dogs rescued from fighting rings who are now certified therapy dogs. Whether youâ <sup>TM</sup>re picking up a copy for yourself, a loved one or early holiday shopping, The Dogist is a must-have for any animal lover. Itâ <sup>TM</sup>s a celebration of the reasons why we love our pets so much, and how much they bring into our lives.â • â "DesignSponge.com â œFriedman . . . combines his love of dogs and photography in this lively collection of over 1,000 photos. Even readers who wouldnâ <sup>TM</sup>t consider themselves dog lovers will have a hard time resisting this heartwarming collection of smiling, barking purebreds such as pit bulls, bulldogs, and Labs, as well as adorable mutts.â • â "Publishers Weekly â œDelightful. . . . Animal portraiture enthusiasts may be especially interested in this title as an exemplar of the genre.â • â "Library Journal â œEliasâ <sup>TM</sup>s photos are a joy. Full of personality and fun.â • â "William Wegman Â

Elias Weiss Friedman grew up near Philadelphia, in a big, loud family of brothers, sisters, cousins, and dogs. Friedman created TheDogist.com in 2013; the wildly successful blog and Instagram feed now boasts more than 2.4 million followers. His first book, The Dogist, was a New York Times bestseller in 2015. Friedman lives in New York City, but his work photographing dogs takes him around the world.

What a fabulous book of beautiful, cute, or touching spontaneous photos of all kinds of dogs! Each photograph is that dog's unique portrait--and their eyes tell their story. Love that it's real on-the-street art rather than pretentious, precious and contrived. The book along with the @thedogist Instagram is a total pick-me-up. Something I really need given all the everyday demands and stresses of life. Great gift book too!

Don't get me wrongâ Â|I am a HUGE fan of The Dogist! Elias Weiss Friedman hit the nail on the head with his Instagram account. His photos make my household laugh, cry and gasp with oows and awwws. But I am sorry to say that the design and layout of this book doesn't do his photos any justice. Someone needed to be told less is more. Instead of this being as special and unique as his Instagram postings, this book falls short. I am disappointed. I have attached a picture of a spread there is a shot of a Borzoi named Rhett (with pink dye on it), this was one of my favorite shots ever and it is tiny and jammed into the binding of the book. Sad. I was really hoping this book would represent Elias Weiss Friedman's amazing talent. In the end, I am keeping this book to support him and his efforts but I hope his next book has a new designer!

I love this book! It's filled with so many dogs of all shapes and sizes. Some are cute, some are total dorks, but they're all really well shot. Elias is great at capturing each pup's personality and his passion for dogs really shows in his work. The Dogist is just a great book to have around, I don't want to call it a coffee table book, but it is on my coffee and it's super fun to crack open anytime. Friends love it too! Just buy it, stop reading this review.

Elias Friedman has done an incredible job of putting together an engaging and enjoyable book of dog portraits. Fans who know Elias best through his work on instagram (@thedogist) will be happy to see what he has done with his first book. He separates the book into fun sections, eliciting "awws" at every page. It's a great book whether you have dogs or not. Definitely a recommended buy!

What an amazing collection of dogs! We are dog lovers in our family and I gave this book to my daughter as a Christmas gift. She loves it so much! She remarked "I will never be sad again, as I can always look at this book and it will cheer me up!' She has been keeping it by her bedside and looks at often. Our dog is getting jealous of the book as my daughter looks at it so much and makes those "awwww" noises that he feels are reserved for him!Some reviewers have commented that less is more and would have liked larger photographs instead of pages chock full of dogs, but when I received the book I realized that it's all themed. There are pages with dogs with eyes closed, some of dogs with those extra long tongues, some in pairs. Each page brings on fresh oohs and aahs. I love looking at the individual dogs on the themed pages, they're all so adorable. Elias Friedman has done an extraordinary job in capturing the dog's spirit. It brings forth so much emotion from me, and I want to go meet them all. They say your stress levels are much lower if you have a dog and regularly interact with it. That's certainly true, but this book is like a massive stress reliever too!

I love all dog books, so you could say I loved this one too. The pictures are really great and for someone just flipping pages this might be a 5-star book. But all there is (except for dog name and breed) is lots of pictures of dogs. Which is nice, but as a dog lover, I wanted more. Just look at the dog's face on the cover, you want to know more about him... this book just isn't that. So 3 stars, I just liked this book as "just okay".

I decided to look through this book one day when I was really stressed. I had some where to go that

I didn't really want to. The sweet doggy faces with just their names and what breed they are and how old they are soothed me and made me smile. Some of the dogs have clothes which I think is silly but people put a lot of thought into dressing their dogs. Some were chewing rawhide bones and their faces are funny. All dogs are beautiful to me so this book was ice cream for the eyes and I made up stories for all of them.

I purchased this book as a gift, and the recipient was very pleased. However, I have deducted one star because of how lazy the composition of pictures is. In my opinion, the pictures could have been organized and arranged better. I was expecting a layout like Humans of New York, but given the subject matter I understand why the book is so carefree in its presentation of man's best friend. I recommend it to all dog lovers.

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